

OCS-G36619

Current Status RELINQ

Central Gulf of Mexico

Sale# 252

Sale Date MAR 20, 2019

Bonus Bid	Initial Acreage	Current Acreage	Per Acre Amt.	Royalty Rate	Rental
751988.000	5760.000000	5760.000000	130.55	18.75	16.00

Original Lessee(s) :

Shell Offshore Inc.

100.00000 %

Description:

All of Block 685, Garden Banks, OCS Official Protraction Diagram, NG15-02

- 01-JUN-2019Date of lease: 06/01/2019. Expected expiration date: 05/31/2026.
- 01-JUN-2019Shell Offshore Inc. designates Shell Offshore Inc. as operator.
ALL OF BLOCK 685, Garden Banks.
- 15-JUN-2022Record title interest is now held as follows, effective 04/13/2022:

Shell Offshore Inc.60.00000 %
BHP Billiton Petroleum (Deepwater) Inc.40.00000 %
- 15-JUN-2022BHP Billiton Petroleum (Deepwater) Inc. designates Shell Offshore Inc. as operator.
ALL OF BLOCK 685, Garden Banks.
- 03-NOV-2022BHP Billiton Petroleum (Deepwater) Inc. changed its name to Woodside Energy (Deepwater) Inc. effective on 07/11/2022.
- 01-JUN-2024Rental rate begins escalating per terms set forth in addendum of the lease. Rental rate increased from \$11.00 per acre to \$16.00 per acre.
- 30-MAY-2025✓ Relinquishment accepted. Lease relinquished effective 05/30/2025.



VIA EMAIL DELIVERY

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ADJUDICATION SECTION
MAY 30 2025

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5/30/2025

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
ATTN Adjudication Section
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New Orleans, LA, 70123-2349

Re: OCS-G36619, All of Block 685, Garden Banks
Form BOEM-0152 – Relinquishment
Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) and Woodside Energy (Deepwater) Inc. (2277)

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed are:

- o Three (3) fully executed Relinquishment for **OCS-G36619, All of Block 685, Garden Banks**, whereby Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) and Woodside Energy (Deepwater) Inc. (2277) fully relinquish OCS-G36619:

Form BOEM-1022 (Covered Offshore Facility Changes), Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) has been submitted to boemosfr@boem.gov, BOEM Form 1022 deleting the subject lease from its inventory.

Should you have any questions, please contact undersigned at +1 346 810 3441 or via the email stated above.

Kind regards,

Vicky G. Stanford
Sr. Commercial Analyst / Scout

Shell Offshore Inc.

Enclosures

**U.S. Department of the Interior
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management**

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**OMB Control No.: 1010-0006
Expiration Date: 07/31/2027**

RELINQUISHMENT OF FEDERAL OCS OIL AND GAS LEASE

Legal description of the lease/officially designated subdivision being relinquished:

All of Block 685, Garden Banks

OCS-G36619

Lease Number

The owner(s) of one hundred percent (100%) of the record title interest does (do) hereby release, relinquish and forever quitclaim all of its (their) right, title and interest in and to the oil and gas lease, or subdivision thereof, described above.

This relinquishment is effective as of the date it is filed with the appropriate OCS office of the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, subject to the provisions of 30 CFR 556, Subpart K, Termination of Leases.

This instrument may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which must be deemed an original instrument, but all of which together must constitute but one and the same instrument provided. However, this instrument and any other counterpart hereof, will not be binding unless and until executed by all of the parties, and will not be accepted by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management unless all counterparts are filed simultaneously.

Title 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any Department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

Insert name and Company number of each Lessee

LESSEE:

Shell Offshore Inc. (00689)

Signed by:
By: Christopher J. Gonsalves
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Name: Christopher J. Gonsalves

Title: Attorney-in-Fact

May 28, 2025

Execution Date

LESSEE:

Woodside Energy (Deepwater) Inc. (2277)

Signed by:
By: Marty Tate
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Name: Marty Tate

Title: Attorney in Fact

May 30, 2025

Execution Date

Attach Notary Acknowledgment (not mandatory)

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RELINQUISHMENT ACCEPTED

By: Antoinette Every